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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SHINITZKY, et al.

Group Art Unit 1647

Serial No. 09/647,457

Examiner: TURNER, Sharon L.

Filing Date: November 29, 2000

For: **ASSAY FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF SCHIZOPHRENIA BASED ON A NEW PEPTIDE**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response and Amendment;
- (3) Petition for two month Extension of Time;
- (4) Computer Readable Format (CRF) Sequence Listing;
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AMENDMENT

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Sir/Madam:

Response to the Office Action of January 24, 2005, the period for responding being extended herewith to June 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel all claims and substitute therefore claims 16 to 31 as shown in pages 21-23.

IN THE SEQUENCE LISTING

Please amend the Sequence Listing section as shown in the attached pages 1 to 5 and the corresponding computerized version thereof.

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Please amend the abstract by renumbering as shown in attached page 24.

REMARKS

THE CLAIMS

The indication by the examiner that various rejections had been withdrawn and that claims directed to SEQ ID NO:3 are allowable is hereby acknowledged with thanks. Claims 1-14 were active and have been